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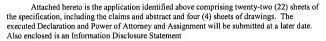
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Re: Application of Hiroshi KATO

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MANUFACTURING GLOW PLUG Assignee: NGK SPARK PLUG CO., LTD.

Our Ref. Q76630

Dear Sir:



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Priority is claimed from:

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2002-211348

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